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Defendant.

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MONICA MARIE S.,¹

KILOLO KIJAKAZI, ACTING

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL

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NO: 1:21-CV-03105-LRS

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED MOTION FOR REMAND

BEFORE THE COURT is the Defendant's Stipulated Motion for Remand, ECF No. 16. Based on the stipulation of the parties, the Court finds good cause to grant the motion. Accordingly, pursuant to the stipulation, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- 1. Defendant's Stipulated Motion for Remand, ECF No. 16 is GRANTED.
- 2. This case is **REVERSED** and **REMANDED** for further administrative proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g).

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¹The court identifies a plaintiff in a social security case only by the first name and last initial in order to protect privacy. *See* LCivR 5.2(c).

- 3. On remand, the Administrative Law Judge shall: (1) conduct a new hearing; (2) further develop the record and issue a new decision; (3) reevaluate the claimant's symptoms, consistent with 20 C.F.R. §§ 404.1529, 416.929, and Social Security Regulation (SSR) 16-3p; (4) reevaluate the medical opinions of record, consistent with 20 C.F.R. §§ 404.1527, 416.927, and the prior District Court remand order; (5) reassess the claimant's residual functional capacity, consistent with 20 C.F.R. §§ 404.1545, 416.945, SSR 85-15 and SSR 96-8p; and (6) proceed with the sequential evaluation as necessary.
- 4. Upon proper presentation, this Court will consider Plaintiff's application for costs, expenses, and reasonable attorney's fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412(a), (d).
- 5. Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment, ECF No. 12, and the hearing and remaining briefing schedule are VACATED as moot.

IT IS SO ORDERED. The District Court Clerk is directed to enter this Order and provide copies to counsel. Judgment shall be entered for Plaintiff and the file shall be CLOSED.

DATED March 31, 2022.

LONNY R. SUKO

Senior United States District Judge